

Message Text

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 01 TEHRAN 04658 190612Z

12

ACTION NEA-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 IO-10 SR-02 ORM-01 AID-05 CIAE-00

DODE-00 PM-03 H-02 INR-07 L-02 NSAE-00 NSC-05 PA-01

PRS-01 SP-02 SS-15 USIA-06 /073 W

----- 088371

R 190534Z MAY 75

FM AMEMBASSY TEHRAN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1576

INFO AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

USINT BAGHDAD

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE TEHRAN 4658

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINT, IZ, IR

SUBJECT: ALLEGED IRAQI EXECUTION OF KURDISH PRISONERS

REF: STATE 114552

1. HOAGLAND STORY IS FIRST SPECIFIC ALLEGATION OF KILLING OF SURRENDERED KURDS WHICH HAS COME TO OUR ATTENTION. KURDISH REFUGEES HERE HAD PREVIOUSLY REPORTED SUCH KILLINGS EITHER DURING ACT OF SURRENDERING OR BY HANGING AFTERWARDS, BUT LACKED SPECIFICS (TEHRAN 2684, TABRIZ 16). FACT THAT MORE THAN 60,000 KURDISH REFUGEES HAVE WILLINGLY RETURNED TO IRAQ IN LAST SIX WEEKS APPEARED TO BEAR OUT REPORTS FROM USINT BAGHDAD THAT IRAQIS WERE BEHAVING HUMANELY IN FORMER KURDISH AREAS(BAGHDAD 410). UNHCR REP HOMANN-GERIMBERG DURING MID-MAY VISIT HERE CONFIRMED HIS ORGANIZATION HAD NOT RECEIVED ANY REPORTS OF VIOLENCE AGAINST RETURNED REFUGEES.

2. INFORMED OF HOAGLAND STORY BY EMBOFF, KURDISH DEMOCRATIC PARTY LEADER SHAMAL KARIM RESIDENT IN TEHRAN SAID HE HAD NOT HEARD OF THIS INCIDENT. HE THOUGHT KURDISH MILITARY COMMANDER REPORTED KILLED MIGHT BE PESH MERGA OFFICER HE HAD HEARD WAS CAPTURED BY

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 02 TEHRAN 04658 190612Z

IRAQIS AND PARADED THROUGH STREETS OF SUAMANIYA.

KARIM SAID HE WOULD SEE IF HE COULD CONFIRM DETAILS OF
HOAGLAND REPORT THROUGH REFUGEE SOURCES.
MIKLOS

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptoning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT, GENOCIDE, KURDS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 19 MAY 1975
Decapton Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decapton Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: CunninFX
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1975TEHRAN04658
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D750175-0220
From: TEHRAN
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1975/newtext/t19750537/aaaabhxe.tel
Line Count: 64
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ACTION NEA
Original Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 75 STATE 114552
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: CunninFX
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 06 AUG 2003
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <06 AUG 2003 by KelleyW0>; APPROVED <26 NOV 2003 by CunninFX>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
05 JUL 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: ALLEGED IRAQI EXECUTION OF KURDISH PRISONERS
TAGS: PINT, IZ, IR
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 05 JUL 2006